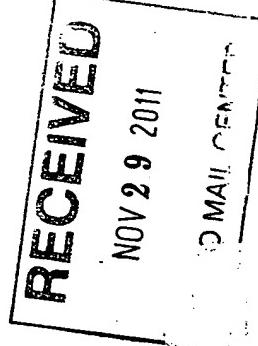


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: DECISION ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.48(d), filed, July 15, 2008, to correct the inventorship in the instant application. Since the application has issues, the petition will be considered under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.324.

The petition is **DISMISSED**.

Petitioner requests that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (Office) update their records to delete the name **PHYLLIS D. MANSKA** as an inventor. Petitioner submits that her contribution to the invention related to method claims which have been withdrawn by election filed November 8, 2005.

In this application, given the facts, the rules and statutory provisions governing the operations of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office require that each petition to correct inventorship under 37 CFR 1.324 be accompanied by a statement from the current named inventors either agreeing to the change of inventorship or stating that they have no disagreement in regard to the requested change, and the petition fee as set forth in 37 CFR §1.20(b).

A review of the file indicates that neither of the above requirements was filed with the petition. Accordingly, the petition must be dismissed.

Any questions concerning this matter may be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-4112.

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